



## IJTS Research Article Competition, 2023–2024

The *International Journal of Taiwan Studies* (IJTS) is pleased to announce the IJTS Research Article Competition for the academic year 2023–2024.

### Eligibility

This competition is open to anyone with a scholarly interest in Taiwan except members of the judging panels. We welcome submission of original research articles relevant to the broadly defined field of Taiwan studies.

### Submission

- There are two categories for entry: **Art & Humanities**; and **Social Sciences**.
- The article should be between 6,000 and 12,000 English words in length, including references and notes. Please follow our Instructions for Authors carefully ([https://brill.com/fileasset/downloads\\_products/Author\\_Instructions/IJTS.pdf](https://brill.com/fileasset/downloads_products/Author_Instructions/IJTS.pdf)) and submit the article online via the Editorial Manager (<https://www.editorialmanager.com/ijtsbrill/default2.aspx>).
- Upon submission, please indicate where appropriate (1) the submission is for the IJTS Research Article Competition, 2023–2024; and (2) for which one of the two subject categories you wish your article to be considered.
- Articles must not have been submitted for publication elsewhere.
- Submissions may be co-authored, but in the case of a co-authored submission winning, any prize will be split between the authors.
- Entrants may only submit one article per category. All submissions must be received by the IJTS Editorial Manager by **30 September 2023**.

### Judging and Prizes

- The evaluation of entries will be completed on 31 March 2024.
- Articles must be relevant to Taiwan studies and will be judged on: quality of content; intellectual rigour; relevance; originality; and quality of presentation.
- The competition will award the best research article in each category. Winners will be notified in mid-May 2024. Each winner will receive a monetary award of £300 and a certificate. Moreover, the winning articles will be published in the IJTS after appropriate revision following peer review.
- IJTS reserves the right to withhold the award of any or all prizes if the articles submitted do not meet the standard deemed appropriate by the judges.
- IJTS's decisions on the competition will be final and is not subject to any appeal.

### Contact

- Any questions about this competition, please contact the IJTS Editorial Office ([ijts.office@eats-taiwan.eu](mailto:ijts.office@eats-taiwan.eu)) and Dr. John Wood ([jow105@aber.ac.uk](mailto:jow105@aber.ac.uk)), with the subject line 'IJTS Research Article Competition Enquiry'.
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